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Clerk
United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth
Circuit
Thomas F. Eagleton Courthouse
111 S. 10th Street, Rm. 24329
St. Louis, MO 63102

Re: Joseph Ruppert, as Trustee of Fairmount Park, Inc. Retirement
Savings Plan
v. Principal Life Insurance Company
No. 12-1425
(Your No. 11-2554)

Dear Clerk:

The Court today entered the following order in the above-entitled case:

The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott S. Harris", written in a cursive style.

Scott S. Harris, Clerk